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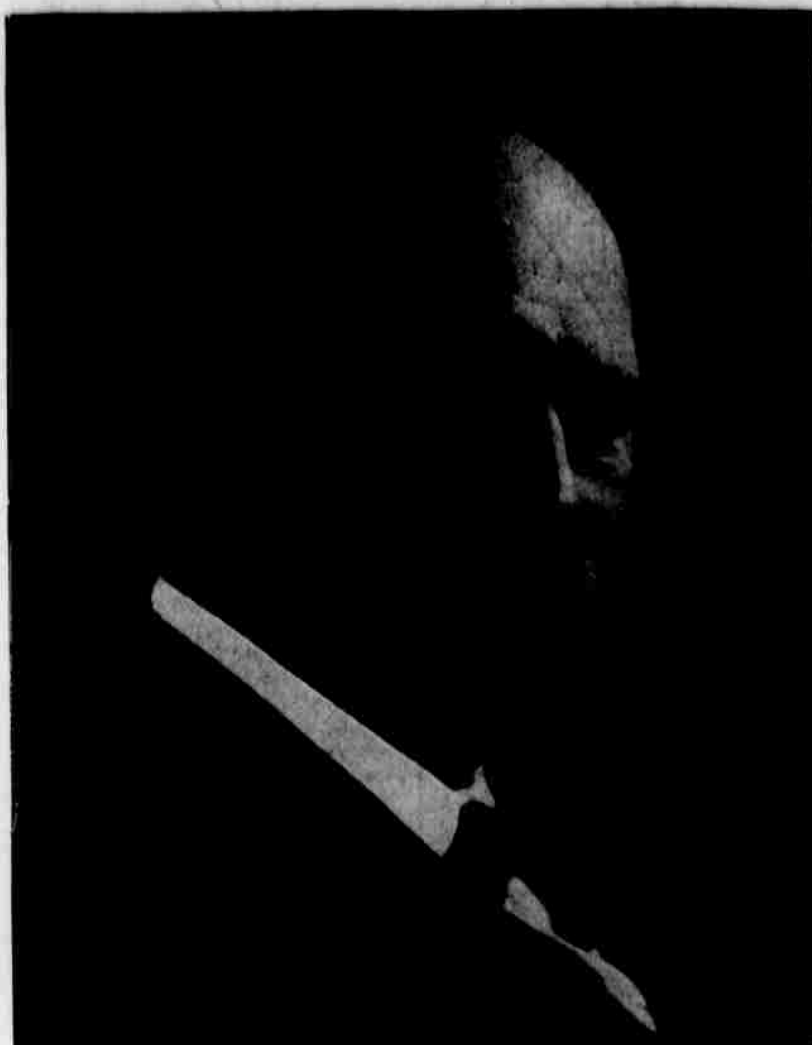
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EDWARD OSGOOD BROWN.
Who Deserves Election to the Superior Court.

WRIGLEY WILL WIN

The Popular Manufacturer Will
Be Sent to the National Republican
Convention in
Ninth District.

William Wrigley, Jr., the well known manufacturer, is a candidate for delegate to the National Republican Convention from the Ninth Congressional district. He should be elected. He is a large employer of labor and a man of affairs whose interests are in close touch with the interests of a majority of the people.

HOFFMAN FOR GOVERNOR

Big Movement on Foot to Unite
Republicans Behind Popular
Coroner and Vote-Getter.

There is a big movement on foot among Republicans of all factions to nominate Coroner Peter M. Hoffman for Governor.

PROHIBITION BLAMED

Chicago Commission Investigating
Liquor Traffic Is Told of
What Happened to Elgin.

According to the Chicago Tribune, less than two years ago the happy, prosperous, law-abiding city of Elgin went dry. The Chicago commission on the liquor traffic was told that old residents barely recognize the place. It now has a perpetual grudge; it is hard up, and crime and misbehavior are on the upgrade, it is said.

Philip Fretter was the witness who described the alleged changes that have taken place. He once owned an Elgin saloon he valued at more than \$35,000, and now he is interested in a distillery at Louisville, Ky.

Among the more startling of his statements to which the council's commission listened were these:

Savings accounts in the banks of Elgin have decreased \$110,000.

The theater attendance is poor.

The police have all they can do to handle the blind pigs.

Burglary, gambling and social evil complaints are multiplying.

Six months before the saloons were closed the city had \$2,164.22 cash on hand. Despite retrenchments which the city was obliged to make on every hand, it has been obliged to issue \$34,000 worth of tax anticipation warrants for this year, \$32,000 worth in 1915, and \$7,000 worth the year before.

MACHINE WON'T COUNT

Names of Candidates for Delegates Must Alternate in Each
Senatorial District.

It was a surprise to some to learn that the delegate-at-large slate of both the Sullivan and Harrison-Sabath forces will not be kept intact after it is filed with the secretary of state. Under the law the names will rotate and will be scattered about in different positions in each senatorial district. This minimizes the advantage of a slate, it is contended.

WHERE SCHMIDT STANDS

Republican Candidate in Twenty-fifth Ward Gives Out His Platform.

George K. Schmidt, backed by the Brundage forces for committeeman from the Twenty-fifth ward in the three-cornered fight with Isaac Bryan, Deneen candidate, and Dr. Leigh Thompson candidate, issues the following statement: "I am not now allied with any political boss, leader, or faction outside the Twenty-fifth ward. I am unalterably committed to home rule in political matters for the Twenty-fifth ward."

SCHROEDER IN RACE

Well Known North Sider in the
Battle for Twenty-third Ward
Committeeman.

Tony Schroeder, who keeps one of the most popular buffets in Chicago, at the corner of North Halsted and Roscoe streets, and who is an extensive property owner, is a candidate for Democratic committeeman in the Twenty-third Ward.



L. A. GODDARD,
President of the State Bank of Chicago.

IROQUOIS ON WARPATH

Harrison Said to Have Resigned
from Club and Followers Refuse to Pay Dues.

Former Mayor Harrison, according to current reports, paid up his dues in full and resigned from the Iroquois Club after Swetzer defeated him at the Democratic primary last spring. Faithful followers of Harrison who belonged to the club are reported to have lost all interest in the payment of their dues since that event, and the club is alleged to be after them with a tomahawk and a collector.

HEBEL NOT POPULAR

Friends of the Late Mayor Busse,
Friends of Deneen and Friends
of Thompson Are All
Fighting Him.

It looks as though Oscar Hebel would be badly beaten as a candidate for Republican committeeman of the Twenty-first ward. Among men who are fighting him are mentioned friends of the late Mayor Busse; friends of Governor Deneen, and friends of Mayor Thompson.

PIKE IS POPULAR

He Will Be the Next Republican
Committeeman in the Twenty-First.

Eugene R. Pike is popular with all classes of citizens, and with voters of every nationality. His broad and liberal views make friends for him everywhere, and he is going to be the next Republican committeeman for the Twenty-first ward.

MCGILLEN WILL WIN

Certain to Be Elected Delegate
to the National Convention
in Ninth District.

John McGillen, born and raised in Chicago; successful business man; clear headed and honest public official and popular and far sighted Democratic leader, will be sent to the National Convention by the Democratic votes of the Ninth district.

BARTZEN IN THE 26TH

The Veteran Is Out for Committeeman, on the Sullivan Ticket.

The Sullivan people have selected Peter Bartzen as their candidate for Committeeman in the 26th Ward. He is making a lively campaign.

CIVIL SERVICE BUNK

How Many Examinations in Chicago
Are Framed Up for Favorites to
Shut Out Ordinary Citizens?

The People of Chicago demand a thorough investigation of the Civil Service Commission's department of the city government.

They demand an investigation that will go back for years and unearth the treacherous and illegal treatment accorded to honest citizens for the benefit of a chosen few.

They demand an investigation into all of the examinations that have been held in order that the public may be informed as to how many, if any, of them were on the square.

They demand an investigation of the numerous examinations held for the benefit of particular persons, where questions were asked which could only be answered by the persons whose appointment in the civil service was evidently arranged for in advance.

The people are paying \$100,000 a year for the administration of the civil service law in the city government.

They are paying \$100,000 a year for a roosting place for men to make out "psychological" examination papers.

In a recent examination for stenographers the easiest word handed out for them to typewrite quickly was "eleemosynary."

Is any one foolish enough to suppose that this examination was on the square and that these hard words were not asked to keep out people who were not of the favored class?

New departments, entirely unnecessary, have been created in the civil service for pet faddists and high-browed loafers.

The taxpayers who pay the freight would not be permitted to pass an examination for dog catcher.

Poor men, devoid of education, and with starving families, who are looking for work with a pick and shovel as day laborers, have to go through a civil service examination that would shock the Sultan of Turkey. A daily newspaper printed the following about the absurd questions asked of these poor laboring men by these high-browed reformers who control the aristocracy of office holders in Chicago:

"Ten thousand men who want jobs in the streets, sewers and small parks are being put through an examination by the labor bureau of the Civil Service Commission. Here are some questions that apply:

"How much more does a wheelbarrow of dirt weigh in Jackson Park than on the moon?"

"What amount of street sweepings can be put into a curb box three feet long, two feet wide and fifteen inches deep?"

"What is the superficial area of Madison street from State street to the river?"

"How long would it take a gang of 200 men to shovel a ten-inch snowfall off it? How much could the time be increased?"

"If a hod of brick be dropped from the top of a building 200 feet high with what velocity will it strike a street sweeper in the alley?"

But the jobs that have been created for intellectual giants are the ones that take the cake.

You can search all of the dictionaries and encyclopedias in vain for words and titles that can beat for utter obsolescence some of the productions of the Chicago Civil Service Commission.

The Official Bulletin of the Chicago Civil Service Commission for April 6, 1915, contained the following under the head of "Examinations ordered." Read it carefully and you will learn the duties of an "Industrial Psychologist," for which you will have to pay out \$2,100 every year out of your hard earned money:

"Industrial Psychologist, Class H, Grade IV, \$1,740-2,100, April 7.

Subjects of Examination: Special subject 4, educational (penmanship 1, arithmetic 1) 2, experience 3, report 1.

"Duties: Makes thorough mental examination and partial physical examination of individuals, using modern experimental material; makes inspection of the subject's capacity as to memory, imagination, retention, association and their psychological attributes; organizes intensive system of experimental research to determine value of these tests; makes analyses of mental and physical units and processes involved in manufacture of certain articles in the institution; aids in placing inmates in most suitable industries; co-operates with outside industries for placing of ex-inmates, and checks up on work they do after leaving the institution; assists superintendent in formation and abolition of industries."

If this doesn't take the cake, our ignorance is more profound than we thought it was.



EDWARD F. CULLERTON,
For Forty Years a Leader in the City Council.

BURKE'S BIG PETITION

Popular Democratic Candidate for
Delegate at Large Is Strongly
Backed.

The petition of Robert E. Burke, candidate for Delegate at Large to the Democratic National Convention, to be held at St. Louis on June 14th, 1916, was filed at Springfield on Friday last by Mr. Burke personally. It contained the names of 1980 signers or 980 more than required by the law. Among the names attached to the petition were those of 85 of the most prominent men engaged in business in South Water street, 75 of the most active, energetic young members of the Board of Trade were also among the signers; 600 well known German residents of the North Side also signed.

Among those who signed the petition were: Chas. H. Kellerman, Harry R. Gibbons, Joseph Grein, Edward J. Kelly, Daniel J. Coyne, Ald. John Haderlein, Frank Roeder, Gustav Seedorf, George Mayer, Thomas P. Keane, James Whalen, John Denny, Thomas O'Hearn, A. J. Caveney, John J. Leonard, Daniel J. McMahon, James V. Cunningham, Wm. H. Oram, Stanley H. Kunz, Joseph Gill, Col. Daniel Moriarty, County Commissioner Daniel Ryan, John P. Dougherty, John A. Haney, Edward J. Novak, Chas. A. Murphy, Chas. S. Thornton, James A. Long, and a host of other equally well known Democrats. Many of those prominently identified in the labor movement including Simon O'Donnell, Joseph Morton, Stephen C. Sumner, George P. Crowe, Martin McGraw, M. C. Buckley, John Cleary, Robert McCauley and many other officers and members connected with labor organizations were also signers.

As soon as the Aldermanic Primaries which occur February 29th are over, the committee on organization, of which Daniel J. O'Connor is chairman, and James V. Cunningham is secretary, will be called together for the purpose of prosecuting a vigorous campaign in the interest of Mr. Burke.

Colonel N. M. Kaufman, of the Congress Hotel, is one of the most popular hotel keepers in the United States. His success attests the fact.

Dr. Anthony Krygowski, the well-known physician and surgeon, and public-spirited Democrat of the 24th ward, is much talked of for coroner on the Democratic ticket.

President Thomas A. Smyth, of the Sanitary District, has increased the efficiency of the service one hundred per cent since he took office.

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